

IF YOU WOULD NOT BE FORGOTTEN, EITHER WRITE THINGS WORTH READING OR DO THINGS WORTH WRITING.—Benjamin Franklin.

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COMMUNITY HEALTH COUNCIL ORGANIZES

For the past few months a group of interested people has been meeting to organize what is known as the "Bethel Community Health Council." This group met Jan. 12 in the Legion Rooms.

The main objective of the Council is to act as a clearing house for all community health projects and problems. All people living in Bethel and nearby areas are members. Voting membership consists of one representative from each interested organization in these areas and 10 members at large chosen by the nominating committee of Dr. John Trivard and Mrs. Robert Keniston.

Officers are Mrs. Dale Thurston, Chairman; Mrs. Dana Douglass, Vice-Chairman; Barbara Lucas, Secretary. The executive committee consists of those officers, Dr. Trivard and Rev. Charles Pendleton.

Officers were present and the following members of the Council: Rev. Pendleton, O. T. Rozelle, Agnes Thurston, Jack Trivard, Virginia Hutchins, Annie Hastings, and Donald Christie. Unable to attend from this group of the 10 members at large were Virginia Cole, Dr. Boynton, Dr. Twaddle, and Betty Tobbert.

Representing the following organizations and present were: Virginia Keniston, W. S. C. S.; Carl Brown, I. O. O. F.; Earl Davis, Lions; Marie Nichols, Ladies Club; Hazel Wheeler, Five Town Teachers; Helen Varner, Bear River Grange; Mary Angvine, Eleanor Gordon Guild; Rita Davis, P. T. A.; Mrs. Pendleton for Helen Hillier, Congregational Guild; Gordon Mason, Pleasant Valley Grange; Ruth Kirtledge, Legion Auxiliary. Unable to attend were Mary Paine, O. E. S.; John Greenleaf, 4-H; Janet Richardson, Hospital Auxiliary. Members from Albany and Newry are interested and will probably be represented by George Logan and Elsie Enman. A publicity committee was appointed; Virginia Keniston and Rita Davis.

The next executive committee meeting will be held Feb. 2. The next general meeting will be held in March.

At the meeting projects were discussed. A need for drivers to transport people to clinics, hospitals, and in emergencies has been a problem. It was one of the first projects undertaken by the Council. A list of people who have and are donating their time is on record in Dr. Greenleaf's office and the town office. This service has been used to a great advantage. It was voted to have blood typing available to everyone in the community. Barbara Cole, technician at the Rumford Community Hospital, has donated time and services. Representatives will contact their organizations and make a list of all who wish to be typed. At this time a new list will be made of all interested in donating blood. The value of such a project is well known to all of us.

The Council is a non-profit organization with no treasurer. Projects will be handled through the organizations represented. The Council has many interested members and hopes to contribute a great deal to community health.

Miss Mary Jane Chapman, U. of M. Orono, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Chapman. She had as her guest, Miss June Knight, Stonington.

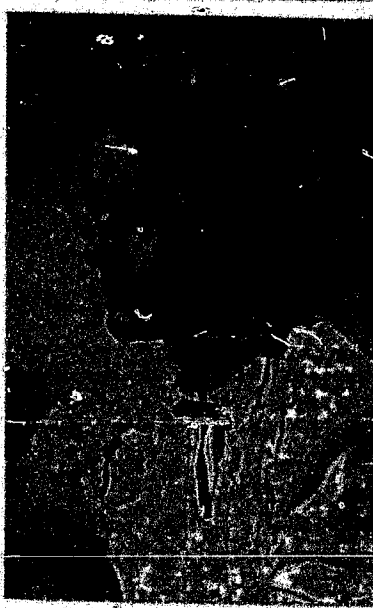
The Week in Oxford County

Dates for the Rumford winter carnival have been set as February 11 and 12. David Leckers is general chairman.

Jeffrey Dymont, Samuel Swett, Leo Gaudette, Arthur Negrim, Emil Girard, William Botschneault and Leo Corneil, all former residents of Rumford met in Portland Saturday evening to organize a Rumford Club. Plans were discussed for a Rumford night dance to be held at the Woodland Hotel, Feb. 26. Gov. Muskie also Supreme Court Justice Albert Beldham are expected guests.

Small Schools Public Speaking League of Oxford held its annual meeting at Buckfield high school, Monday evening. Officers elected are Harold Perkins, president; Robert Bates, Woodstock high school, vice president; and Mrs. Robert Herrick, Woodstock high school, speech director.

It is expected that 400 high school students will take part in a Western Maine music festival concert to be held in the new South Bethel Gymnasium, Jan. 28. Bryant O. Pease and Mrs. Helen Shaw have charge of arrangements.



Miss Mary Elizabeth Ford

FORD - DOEN ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Ruth Wilkinson of Bethel, and Norman Ford of Lewiston, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth Ford, to Gayland Doen, son of Mrs. Avis Doen of Portland.

Miss Ford will graduate from Lewiston High School in June. Mr. Doen graduated from Gould Academy in 1950. He served four years in the Navy and is now employed at Conner's Garage in Bethel.

No date has been set for the wedding.

REVENUE SERVICE ASSURES ASSISTANCE TO TAXPAYERS

Income tax assistance for Central Maine residents is promised by Whitney L. Wheeler, District Director, Internal Revenue Service, Augusta.

"We are making every effort this year to provide necessary assistance to the taxpayers throughout the State," reported Mr. Wheeler. "For Central Maine we have established certain designated taxpayer assistance days and on those days we will provide assistance in the following centrally located communities. Office hours are 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. unless otherwise indicated."

Bethel, Each Friday through April 13, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Belfast, March 7, 8 and 9.
Bridgton, March 5, 6, 7, and 8.
Farmington, Feb. 13 through 17.
Gardiner, March 5-6-7 and 8.
Rangely, March 5 and 6.
Rockland, Each Friday through April 13.
Rumford, Jan. 27, Feb. 10 and 21.
March 6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31.
Skowhegan, Jan. 27, Feb. 10 and 21.
Waterville, January 18 through 31, Feb. 1 through 14, April 3 through 16.

In addition, telephone and counter service will be provided during each workday of the filing period at our Augusta and Lewiston Offices.

George Taylor left Friday on a few weeks' trip to visit his brothers, Harold in Astell, Kansas, and Carl in Chandler, Arizona.

Mrs. Phyllis Blake and Mrs. Avis Coolidge entertained at a poker party for the benefit of polio on Tuesday evening. Those present were: Arlene Merrill, Norma Buck, Ethel Robertson, Polly Browne, Arlene Lyon, Virginia Brown, Nevada Coolidge, Caroline Merrill, Avis Coolidge and Phyllis Blake.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

We expect that the National Board of Fire Underwriters will have a man here this last of the week to make the Underwriters' test on the new Mack truck. I expect the Mack Motor Co. will also have an engineer here at the same time to check the test.

Mr. Hawes is mailing out verification notices on the unpaid tax accounts as of Dec. 31, 1955. Both Mr. Hawes of the State Auditing Department and myself will appreciate having you contact us as soon as possible if the account in any notice you may receive is not correct. Please note these figures are based on the account as of Dec. 31, 1955, not as your account may now stand, as several have, of course, paid all or a part since that date.

Thank you.

O. T. Rozelle

IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Albert Taylor entered the service Tuesday.

Robert Tift is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Kenneth Wing and Mrs. Donald Walker were in Berlin on Friday.

Mrs. Alice Taylor has completed her work at Lewiston and returned to her home here.

Miss Mary Ford of Lewiston spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Wilkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Morey, Susan and Cynthia, of West Paris were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Brown returned Saturday from the CMG Hospital where she has been a patient for the past four months.

Miss Ruth Donahue of Boston and Alan Myette of Newton Center, Mass., were week end guests at E. O. Donahue's.

Mrs. Larry Davis and children, Daphne, Gretchen and Heidi, left Sunday to spend two weeks with relatives in Portland.

There will be a monthly meeting of the WSCS, both evening and afternoon circles at the Methodist Church this Thursday evening.

Mrs. Paul Kelley and children, Peter and Cynthia, left this morning for South Walpole, Mass., where they will visit relatives.

Eugene Lincham and Miss Ruth Curran of Lewiston and Mr. and Mrs. Errol Donahue, Jr., of Rumford were Sunday guests at E. O. Donahue's.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis are leaving Saturday for Chicago, where they will spend a week attending the National Home Builders Convention and visiting relatives.

The Ladies Club met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Merrill. Mrs. Barton Newton spoke on "Antiques." Co-hostesses were Mrs. Henry Boyker, Mrs. Henry Godwin, and Mrs. Wallace Clark.

The Lions Club will meet Monday evening at 6:30 at the Legion Rooms. The speaker will be Edward E. Ulrich who is sales representative for Winchester Arms.

The program will include a talk and movie about shooting and trick shooting.

Those attending the Wood Turners Convention at the Hotel Statler in Boston this week end are: Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Newton.

Douglas Boynton celebrated his eighth birthday at a family supper party on Wednesday, Jan. 18, at his home. Guests present were: Michael Hutchins, Paul Vachon, and Jeffrey Howe, and the family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boynton, Susan, David, Billy, Sally and Ed, and Edna.

The Hobbses gave a supper party Monday for Miss Bellows and their wives and families of Bethel and the 1000' Hall. The supper committee was: Fred Godwin, Hattie Bennett, Marie Hunt, Jane Kresland and Mary Ladd. The Old Fellows had charge of the entertainment and movies were shown by Shirley Chase. These featured Sesquicentennial celebration at Newry and scenes at Gould Academy. Brides of local scenes and events belonging to Mr. Chase and George Lohrop were also shown.

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Noted bids will be received up to Jan. 24, 1956, on the Lincoln Truck formerly used as a Hook and Ladder Truck in the Fire Dept. Bids on the Truck only. To be opened Thursday evening, Jan. 26 at Seven O'Clock P. M. Town Manager's Office. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

O. T. Rozelle, Mgr.

FERGUSON SEEKING SENATE NOMINATION IN PRIMARY ELECTION

State Representative Norman K. Ferguson (Republican), Hanover, will be a candidate for the GOP nomination in the next June Primaries for one of the Senate seats from Oxford County.

Rep. Ferguson, 55, has served in the House of Representatives two terms. He was House Chairman of the Committee on Highways which recommended \$1,500,000 to municipalities for local roads to be spent on a mileage basis.

Rep. Ferguson was born in Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, and received his education in the public schools there. He is married to the former Hazel Merrill of Andover. They have four children.

He has resided in Hanover since 1946 and has been on the Board of Selectmen for 8 years, the last five as chairman.

He is employed by the Oxford Paper Co., of Rumford; is a member of the Oxford Bear Lodge, K. of P.; Bear River Grange; Maine Farm Bureau; member of the Advisory Committee Maine Municipal Association; Rumford Lions Club; member of the Executive Committee, Rumford Community Hospital, and chairman of the Hanover Republican Town Committee.

1956 COUNTY AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM HAS BEEN ALLOTTED \$36,600

Announcement of the opening on January 16 of the Agricultural Conservation Program for 1956 was made by William C. Chapman of Bethel, vice-chairman of the Oxford County Committee at a meeting of community committeemen held in the Firehall at South Paris.

Mr. Chapman stated that \$36,600 has been allotted to Oxford County as the Federal cost-share to be made to farmers who carry out one or more of the twenty-eight conservation practices of the 1956 Program.

Mr. Chapman presided at the meeting and Raymond H. Lovejoy, Farmer-Fieldman conducted the discussion of practices. Other speakers who discussed conservation practices and their value to farmers and others were Frank W. Hogan, County Agent of the Extension Service; Sumner H. Burgess, Farm Forester; Douglas L. Marston of the Soil Conservation Service; Benjamin A. Curtis, Jr., County Supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration; Eugene P. Hunt, Assistant County Agent; and W. Henry Allen, member of the Oxford County Committee.

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Norman K. Ferguson

DR. SMITH TO SPEAK AT BINGHAM GYM NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING

The public is reminded of an important meeting to be held in William Bingham Gym on Wednesday, Jan. 25, at 7:30 p. m. when Dr. Payson Smith, former Commissioner of Education for Maine and Massachusetts, will give a report on the White House Conference on Education. Dr. Smith is well qualified to evaluate the results of this conference and the residents of Bethel and vicinity are indeed fortunate to have the benefit of his services on this occasion. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

ARMY RESERVE AT BRIDGTON TO HOLD OPEN MEETING MONDAY, JANUARY 23

Parents—What about your son's future?

After reaching age 18, your son is required to register with his Selective Service Board. Will this make his post High School plans and efforts uncertain? Ordinarily, yes. He would not be as able to plot a course or goal to work for as long as the possibility of being called into the Service remains and keeps him guessing. Under the Armed Forces Reserve Act of 1955, however, provisions are made so that young men with a Service obligation can still plan their future, dig in their feet, and go ahead with their plans without fear of receiving a call from their draft board.

You as parents, and 17 and 18 year old young men can learn the facts of the Reserve Forces Act of 1955 by attending the open house being held by Company D, 802nd Military Police Battalion at the Bridgton Academy Gymnasium Monday night, January 23, 1956, from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. North Bridgton, Maine. Parents and 17 and 18 year old young men from Bridgton, Harrison, Naples, Casco, Bethel, Norway, Paris, Fryeburg, Lovell, Denmark, and surrounding towns are cordially invited to attend the "Open House" and learn the facts concerning "Your Son's Future."

Donald Fraser is in Togus for two weeks.

Women Bowling

We are offering, at reduced rates, bowling for women 9:30 to 12 a. m. Wednesday and Thursday every week. Call us for additional information and enter your name.

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THE AMERICAN WAY

Economic Highlights

As for the situation in general, it is actually that the ideas of many were reflected by the Portland Question when it came officially. Who believe any more that there are no more frontiers and that the national economy has reached a plateau? and stagnant one? The answer is all around us, in the developments of the last decade, to improve the pace which came as the new economic belt.



ally impractical when measured against the record which shows that in 1953 "operations resulted in a net loss of \$249,000 - without any charge for

1	State of Ohio	51	Leavenworth
2	State of Michigan	52	Leavenworth
3	State of Illinois	53	Leavenworth
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5	State of Kentucky	55	Leavenworth
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25	State of Wyoming	75	Leavenworth
26	State of Colorado	76	Leavenworth
27	State of Montana	77	Leavenworth
28	State of North Dakota	78	Leavenworth
29	State of South Dakota	79	Leavenworth
30	State of Nebraska	80	Leavenworth
31	State of Kansas	81	Leavenworth
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47	State of Oklahoma	97	Leavenworth
48	State of Texas	98	Leavenworth
49	State of New Mexico	99	Leavenworth
50	State of Arizona	100	Leavenworth

It is much more comfortable than the others.

LAST

The New Combination

BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres. —

Mr and Mrs H Stanley Andrews were at Boston from Thursday until Sunday to attend the Wood-turner's Association meetings. H. K. Stowell and son, Dexter, also attended the meetings.

Mrs Ruby Huston is caring for her aunt, Mrs Minnie Jordan, who sustained cuts and bruises in a fall at her home.

Word has been received of the birth of a son to Mr and Mrs Jerry Bowles, Burbank, Calif. Mrs Bowles was Miss Joan Whitman of this town.

Mrs Frederick Noyes has submitted to surgery at the Osteopathic Hospital, Portland.

The Fire Dept. was called to the home of Alvah Hendrickson, South Woodstock, Tuesday night at 10:40 for a chimney fire. Little damage was done.

The Association of Universalist Women met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs Leslie Abbott, with 11 members present. It was voted to donate to the March of Dimes. Plans were discussed for a food sale, Friday, Feb. 24, and the following committee appointed: Mrs Ruth Tyler, Mrs Mildred Westcott, Mrs Alice Dudley and Mrs Edith Abbott. The mystery package was won by Mrs Edith Day. The next meeting will be held with Mrs Lizette Rust on Feb. 18.

A "Hobo Party" will be held at the meeting of Franklin Grange, Saturday night, Jan. 21, with everyone requested to dress in old clothes. Refreshments will be served.

The members of Jefferson Chapter, OES, who attended Good Neighbor Night at Granite Chapter, West Paris, Thursday night, were Mrs Edith B Hathaway, Mrs Barbara

Hathaway, Mrs Miriam McAllister, Mrs Annie Bryant and Mrs Frances Farnum.

Mrs Fred Caskey, Portland, spent the week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs Colby Ring. Mr Caskey and two sons came Sunday and she returned home with them. They were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Russell McAllister.

Week end callers of Mr and Mrs Colby Ring, included Mrs Kate Peabody and Miss Madeline Lary, Gorham, N. H.; Mr and Mrs William Ring and two children, Portsmouth, N. H.; David Ring, West Paris; Mr and Mrs Herman Fuller, Casco; and Mrs James Ring, Locke Mills.

Mrs Rupert Hathaway was the guest of her mother, Mrs John Pelletier, at Portland, a few days this week.

Mrs Cleo Billings, local chairmen for the March of Dimes, has appointed the following collectors: For Schools, Robert Stetson and Mrs Olive Davis; Organizations, Mrs Ruth Tyler; North Woodstock, Mrs Emma Davis; Birch St., Mrs Rena Howe; Rumford Ave., Mrs Barbara Hathaway and Mrs Iva Farrar; Lower Main St. Mrs Floyd Keniston and Mrs Gertrude Gaudier; Upper Main and Pine St. Rd., Mrs Ruth Haskell; Lake Rd. and Elm St., Mrs Gertrude Andrews; Lake Drive, Mrs Alice McInnis and Mrs Lois Howe; Correspondence, Mrs Eva B Twitchell. The Mother's March will be held Thursday evening, Jan. 28.

Due to the illness of Mrs Verna Swan, the Ladies Aid supper, which was to have been served at her home Jan. 18, has been indefinitely postponed.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Andrews, Mr and Mrs Arthur Wardwell and twin daughters, Jean and Jane, have been confined to their homes with illness recently.

GREENWOOD CITY

— Mrs. Celista Morgan, Cor. —

Mr and Mrs Ardell Hayes of Auburn were Sunday callers at Roland Hayes.

Mr and Mrs Leonas Holt and family spent Sunday evening with Mr and Mrs Maynard Chase at West Paris.

Mrs Roland Hayes was in Portland Friday evening to see a foot specialist.

Mr and Mrs Calvin Cole and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Leonas Holt.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Morgan were recent callers at Norton Emmons', Woodstock.

Keljo Sarrinen who has been in Connecticut several weeks has returned home.

Made your plans to attend Farm and Home Week at the University of Maine yet? Dates are April 2 through 5. Every farmer, homemaker or interested urbanite will find these sessions informative and interesting. No registration fee is required.



CAUSES BOB'S DOWNFALL... Comedian Bob Hope was injured during GI show in Iceland when he fell from shoulders of Joan Rhodes, British strong woman.

EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

There will be a meeting of Alder River Grange No. 145 on Friday Jan. 20. At this meeting the 25-year members will be honored. They are Mrs Agnes Haines, Mrs Fay Kimball and Leslie Noyes.

Lawrence Kimball was reported quite ill in the Central Maine General Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Elwin Billings of West Paris were Sunday visitors of Mr and Mrs Lewis Smith.

Mr and Mrs Sherman Newton visited relatives in Upton Sunday and reported that there is lots of snow up there.

Mr and Mrs Lee Falkenham of Andover were visitors of Mr and Mrs Sherman Newton on Wednesday of last week.

Willard Farwell received a Sunshine Box on Sunday from many of his friends and neighbors.

Mrs Wilma Tibbets and Charles Hammonds of Dixfield and Wilder Merrill of South Paris were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Al Curtis. Mr Merrill stayed for a few days.

Mrs Al Curtis was able on January 13 to go into her garden and get some kale and endive which she reported as being the best she had ever eaten. This is something not usually done in January.

There will be a meeting of the Lucky Clover 4-H Club on January 22 at the home of their leader, Mrs Marguerite Bartlett.

Mr and Mrs Charles Bourne and sons of Ogunquit were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Urban Bartlett.

Friends of James Haines were shocked by his sudden death on Monday. A lot of sympathy is extended to his family.

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ROONEY Oats and other new improved farm crop varieties being released this year. Terrific demand. HIGHEST NOW is time to get in on ground floor. Write TODAY for Agency address. GARDNER SEED CO., INC. 2 Spencer St., Rochester, New York. Growers of Better Farm Seeds for 10 Years.

SONGO POND

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Mr and Mrs Ralph Kimball and family called on friends in Gorham, N. H., Friday evening.

Mr and Mrs Maurice Beaupre and Marie visited his mother and other relatives in Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Earlon Keniston and Lona, were supper guests Saturday of Mr and Mrs Don Cross and family.

Mr and Mrs William Bancroft and children visited her father, Guy Morrill, Sunday, on his birthday.

Mr and Mrs Robert Anderson brought their baby daughter home Sunday from the Rumford Hospi-

tal where she has been the past month.

Peter Logan, who has been ill with bronchial pneumonia, is better.

Mr and Mrs Robert Estes and David of Manchester, N. H., were Friday evening callers at George Logan's. Clayton Penley was a caller there Sunday.

Mr and Mrs William Kimball and three children were dinner guests Sunday at Howard Lapham's.

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WEST BETHEL

— Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres. —

Pleasant Valley Grange met last Thursday night with 12 members and three visitors present. A donation of \$2 each was made to the grange at Jackman and Opportunity Farm. It was voted to hold a food sale for the benefit of the polio drive. The sale was held Jan. 17th at the home of Mrs Allen Walker. The committee was Mrs. Allen Walker, Mrs Robert Gilbert, and Mrs Paul Head. The literary program was: reading, "Life's Highway," Mrs Gordon Mason; "January Aftermath," Norman Hall; "1868," Mrs Allen Walker; Jokes; New Year's resolutions, members; Ideal New Year's resolutions, Past Lecturer of Illinois Grange; "May Your Hopes Come True in 1956," Mrs Robert Gilbert. The mystery package was won by Mrs Paul Head. Refreshment committee for the next meeting is Mrs Norman Hall, Mrs Katherine Bennett and Robert Gilbert. Refreshments were served by Mr and Mrs Gordon Mason and Mrs Allen Walker.

A surprise birthday party was given Donald Bennett at his home Saturday evening. The guests attended the dance at Songo Pavilion then went to the home of Mr and Mrs Albert Bennett for refreshments. Those attending besides the guest of honor and Mr and Mrs Bennett were: Mr and Mrs Andrew Boyd and Craig, Mrs Catherine Wilson, Mrs Joyce Thibault, Mr and Mrs Randall Gilbert, Mr and Mrs Shirley Gilbert, Mr and Mrs Ronald Kendall and Mr and Mrs George Gilbert.

Arthur Johnson was tendered a surprise birthday party at his home Sunday by Mrs Warren Bean and Mrs Richard Bean of Bethel. A lovely cake was made by Mrs Warren Bean and many gifts were presented the guest of honor. Following refreshments everyone enjoyed a family sing accompanied by Mrs Richard Littlefield of Bethel at the piano. Those attending were: Mr and Mrs Richard Bean and sons, Harlan and Wayne, Mrs Warren Bean and daughters, Bethany and Nancy. Mr and Mrs Richard Littlefield and son, Randall, Bethel; Mrs Edward Casey and daughter, Sharon, and Mrs Gladys Johnson, West Bethel.

Mr and Mrs George Gilbert were in Lewiston, Friday.

Mrs Arthur Gilbert, Sheila and Norma Gilbert, were in Berlin, Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Allen Walker were at East Stoneham, Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Richard Walker and Diana were in Shelburne, N. H., Sunday.

Dean, Craig, Mark and Allen Walker of Bethel spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Allen Walker.

Shirley and Randall Gilbert were at Milan, N. H., Sunday.

Mrs George Gilbert entered Rumford Community Hospital, Monday, for surgery.

David Loxton, son of Mr and Mrs George Loxton, has been confined for several days by illness.

Mr and Mrs Paul Croteau, West Greenwood, called on Mr and Mrs Charles Hancock, Friday night.

Mr and Mrs Robert Hutchinson are moving to the new owned by Mr and Mrs Allen Walker.

Miss Jane Smith, Miss Joan Bohmman and Miss Gertrude Parkor, student nurses at Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital, Hanover, N. H., spent the week end with Miss Smith's parents, Mr and Mrs Edmund Smith.

Conservation Farming In Oxford County

by Douglas L. Marston
Soll Conservation Service

The election for Supervisors for the Oxford County Soll Conservation District will be held in February. Any person interested in running for election, or in nominating a candidate, may secure petition papers from the District office, Box 138, South Paris.

Present Supervisors whose terms have expired are: Laurence W. Marston, Waterford; Robert D. Hastings, Bethel; and Bertrand Buck, Buckfield. Laurence W. Marston does not wish to be nominated for re-election. Petitions are already being circulated for Robert D. Hastings and Bertrand Buck for re-election. Another petition is also being circulated for W. Henry Allen of Hebron.

Philip G. Andrews of Fryeburg, the present Chairman of the Board of Supervisors is not up for re-election as he is nominated by the State Soll Conservation Conservation Committee. Warren Abbott of Rumford was the other nominated member of the Board and he has resigned. The nomination to fill this vacancy is still pending.

After all petition papers are in ballots will be circulated and an election held by mail.

All land-owners are urged to vote in this election as the District is growing rapidly and the duties and services performed are growing more complicated and important each year.

Twilight traffic dangers call for extra care by every motorist and every pedestrian. Our Governor's Committee on Highway Safety advises us to slow down at sundown and to be especially alert for the dangers which may be hidden by darkness. They caution us to watch for drivers who neglect to turn on their headlights and for pedestrians who may be dressed in dark-colored clothing. Don't forget—dark is danger time in driving.

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There are thousands of different kinds of antennas, but only one that is best for your location.

Only a Television Engineer with a great deal of experience can select and properly install an antenna in any given location economically.

You invest a great deal of money in a good TV set but let your dealer put up anything that can be called an antenna. It reminds us of a man who buys a new Cadillac car, but has installed a 1908 engine.

Let us install the right antenna for your TV set. We guarantee you will get a picture on at least three channels that will more than satisfy you or you do not pay a cent.

If you cannot afford to pay cash we will finance your antenna. You pay for it as you enjoy it.

Perhaps your set is getting old and needs reconditioning or your picture tube is getting weak.

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Thursday, January 19

Read Matthew 11:28-30.
Then shall love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment (Matthew 22:37, 38.)

Then ancient Jesus of Nazareth said only in the worship of their God. It resembled the yellow rays of the rising and setting sun.

Money and the fascinating things it will buy we ought not to love and to seek as first things, as life's goals. They cannot sustain the human spirit in its hours of fierce trial or great responsibility.

God we worship; and beauty, truth, and righteousness we esteem and appreciate. Persons we can and should love and serve in Christ's spirit. All these are the

ends of life.

Things are meant to be used in the service of God and men. Kept in their place, as servants of the highest, they will bless us and not hurt us. God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, and God only, we dare worship. He only can sustain us in every trial and duty and bring us to live in His kingdom on earth, and with Him eternally.

Prayer

Father, we would worship Thee and seek first Thy kingdom and Thy righteousness. Have mercy upon us and forgive us for our false loves and draw us to Thyself alone. For Jesus' sake we ask it. Amen.

Thought For the Day
"Then shall worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve."—Glenn M. Frye (Michigan)



BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Dwight H. McMahon, Pastor
Mrs. Monica Wilson, Sunday School Superintendent

Mrs. Rena Littlefield, Organist
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. for all classes.
Church Worship at 11 a. m. Theme: "What Shall We Do With the Hopes and Fears of Worship?"

Methodist Youth Fellowship meets at home of Betty and Gary King at 7 p. m.
The official Board will hold a meeting after the morning worship service.

WEST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Charles L. Pennington, Minister
Mrs. John Roberts, Church Director
Mrs. Frances Christie, Organist
Churches for Sunday, Jan. 22
9:45 a. m. Church School
10:45 a. m. Morning Worship
The morning service is entitled "The Hope."

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LOCKE MILLS

—Mrs. Florence Swift, Cor.—
Mrs. Harold Marshall and Miss Marlene Marshall spent the week end at Togus with Mr. Marshall. Mr. Marshall underwent surgery recently at the VA Hospital there. He is reported as gaining rapidly.

There will be a Sunday School Social at the Legion Hall Friday evening, Jan. 20, from 7 to 9. No admission will be charged.
Mrs. Earl Bacon who is a surgical patient at the Rumford Community Hospital, is gaining satisfactorily.

Joseph Velosquez is boarding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford.

Mrs. Abbie Valley and Mrs. Arline Rozelle were guests of Mrs. Florence Swift, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Bennett have had a television set installed.

SCHOOL NEWS

Grade 7

There will be a basketball game at Bryant Pond Thursday night at 7 o'clock. Mr. Helms is taking a bus load of children to see the game. Tammy Day has been out of school with pneumonia. Christmas cards came out Monday. Everyone is hoping for good ranks. Reporters, Linda Brown and Mary Whitford.

Grade 8—Miss Varner

We have been studying Conscience. Our first attempt to make a Moral was very successful. Those who worked on it were: Charles Nowell, Billy Stowell, Nelson Smith, Wayne Perry, Eddie Tibbitts, Beverly Sweetser and Virginia Tibbitts. Our notebooks on Conscience will be passed in on Wednesday the 18th. We are keeping breakfast charts for 4 weeks and 7 Basic Good Charts for one week. We are all looking forward to getting our rank cards on Monday. Weekly Reader notebook covers have been ordered for most of the class. Pupils who have not missed any school since Sept. are: Sharon Nowell, Charles Nowell, Wayne Sweetser, Nelson Smith, Edward Lord, Charles Merrill, Albert King and Sharon York. These pupils are doing very well. All the other pupils are doing well too.

Monday also our Emotion Books.—We are learning about Subjects and Predicates.—Reporters, Carol Kunkle.

HOW MANY STRADIVARIS ARE THERE?
Of the estimated 1,116 violins, cellos and violas that Antonio Stradivari made for over sixty years, only 62 of these 18th Century instruments are accounted for today. 569 of them being violins. Only a few, if any, of the remainder are likely to be rediscovered since it is believed most have been destroyed. The violins declared genuine during the past century have all been carefully recorded and determined through a study of model, wood, design, varnish and tone quality.—Changing Times.

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By Franklin J. Meigs
Editor, The American Peoples Encyclopedia.

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Extensive claims support in the earliest period of human history a culture might evade parchment.

by going into voluntary exile. If he should ever return anyone might legally kill him.

The experience, "That's for the money" may be complimentary instead of derogatory. Among many birds, song has been found to be a reward. This is particularly true of the male bird and is believed to be related to the attraction of mates and to waiting other birds to keep their of the song. It is believed that an adequate system of song supply will be available to the bird and that it will be used.

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Q—Has the Declaration of Independence or the Constitution been removed from Washington, D. C., in the last 25 years?

A—Yes. For a period during World War II, both documents were stored in the bullion depository at Fort Knox, Kentucky. When the documents were moved into the National Archives Building in the Spring of 1952, each was placed over a vault constructed of steel and reinforced concrete into which the documents can be lowered by electrically operated mechanism. Other machinery then closes over the vault a massive lid of armor plate. The vault is then fireproof, shockproof and bombproof.

Q—Which national or visiting dignitary, rate a "21 gun" salute?

A—21-gun salute is rendered to the President of the United States, to an ex-president, chief magistrate or sovereign of a foreign country, or to members of a reigning royal family. The national anthem is played for the president, a march for an ex-president, and the national anthem of his or her country for others. The music is considered an inseparable part of the salute.

Q—How old is the Federal Bureau of Investigation?

A—The FBI was created in 1908 upon an order of the then Attorney General Charles J. Bonaparte. J. Edgar Hoover first took office in 1924.

MIDDLE INTERVAL

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis left last Thursday for a several weeks trip through the Southern States and Mexico.

Ronald Stevens and Sarah Morgan were in Buckfield Saturday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Irvine.

Mrs. Norman Dock and Gretchen returned home from Portland last Saturday after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Charles Hamlin, following Gretchen's tonsillectomy.

Mrs. Malcolm Mundt and Mrs. Ernest Blake held a Scrabble Party at the former's home on Wednesday afternoon in behalf of the March of Dimes. Those attending

were Mrs. Rena Abbott, Mrs. Kenneth Brooks, Mrs. Dona Chretien, Mrs. Stanley Coolidge and Carol, Mrs. Norman Dock, Lee Blake, and the hostesses. High score was won by Mrs. Stanley Coolidge.

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DEFINITION OF AGRICULTURAL LABOR

A recent release from the Social Security Administration gives this definition of agricultural labor as applying to social security under the old-age and survivors insurance program. "...services performed on a farm in connection with the raising and harvesting of products and the raising, etc., of livestock, poultry, bees, fur-bearing animals and wildlife; services in the care of the employer's farm and equipment if performed for the most part on a farm; services performed in handling, processing, or packaging agricultural commodities produced in major part by the employer; services in connection with cotton ginning; and domestic service in or about the household of the employer if performed on a farm operated for profit."

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GOULD ACADEMY

Old Orchard 75—Gould 58

Old Orchard took a first period lead over the Huskies and was never headed. The Huskies, winners to date, suddenly came to life and annexed their first victory of the season at the expense of Gould Academy. The Old Orchard guards were especially the thorn in the side of the losers. Ladakatos and Champagne scored 26 and 18 points for a total of 44 for the home count combination. Tucker, center, Willard, a member of the sophomores came through with 15 points. For the Academy five Knight

were leading scorers with 25 following by Jon Jenekes with 15.

Gould (59) 10 21 59
Jenekes 6 3 15
Giddings 1 0 2
White 2 4 8
Knight 6 13 25
Roberts 1 1 3
Murphy 0 0 0
Willard 2 0 4
Barlow 1 0 2

Old Orchard (75) 10 21 59
Gould 6 3 15
Jenekes 1 0 2
Tucker 7 1 15
Ladakatos 1 1 3
Champagne 12 2 25
Barlow 8 2 18

Gould 19 22 46
Old Orchard 22 37 59
Officials: Olson and Watson.

Gould 75—Leavitt 44

Based at the end of the first period 14-15, Gould Academy really went to work scoring 22 points to Leavitt's 9 in the second period, thereby leading 23-24 at half time. The substitutes took over from this point on and increased the lead at the final score was 75-44. Giddings led the scoring with 15 while Jenekes, Knight and White scored 14, 10 and 10 each. McLaughlin and Maxwell were high scorers for the Huskies with 12 and 10. All 15 of the Gould players got into the scoring column.

Gould 19 22 46
Leavitt 4 0 4
Jordan 4 0 4
McLaughlin 5 3 13
Maxwell 4 2 10
Chapman 0 0 0
Richmond 0 0 0
L. Farness 1 0 2
Gordon 0 1 1
Roberts 0 0 0
H. Farness 3 0 6

Gould 14 22 36
Leavitt 15 24 39
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Cost for One-Act Plays

David D. Thompson, faculty director of dramatics, announces the following costs for the one-act plays to be presented at the Gould Winter Carnival Friday, March 3: "The Roman Kid", Jerry W. Smith, Mary Jane Blaney, George Berry, William Tallon, Russell Patterson, Jon Dag, Dawne Christie, Betty Turk.

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IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

—continued from page one

Miss Nancy Willard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Willard, Paradise Hill, Bethel, has earned membership in "Box and Candle," the honorary dramatics society within the Dramatic Association at Russell Sage College, Troy, N. Y. Miss Willard, a member of the sophomore class, is majoring in physical education.

Mrs. Constance Wing and Mrs. Virginia Walker entertained at a polkino benefit of polio. Those present were: Norma Buck, Rachel MacKay, Lavina Bartlett, Nevada Giddings, Mona Lowe, Dorothy Bean, Constance Wing, and Virginia Walker. Unable to attend were: Virginia Benton and Janice Green. The Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Hospital will have their rummage and food sale at the Main 10 Hall dining room from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 24. The rummage committee is: Isabelle Lovell, Anna Thornton, Norma Buck, Mary Kenzie. The food committee is: Frances Brandon, Mary Paine and Barbara Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis entertained members of the Bethel Chapter Club at their home on Evergreen Road, Saturday evening. A pot-luck supper and an evening of games led by Mrs. Blaine MacKay were enjoyed. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gundersen, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine MacKay, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, Rev. and Mrs. Dwight McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. Paul King, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wing, Mr. and Mrs. Earlen Paine, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gibbs, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis.

"Mrs. Harper's Hamper" Mary Alice Chandler, Anna Chandler, Sue Peterson, Arlene Giddings, Judy Graffman, Ann Boardway, Patricia Elliman, Barbara Leach.

On Friday Gould Academy will travel to Mexico for a return game with the Mexico Huskies overpowered Mexico here 62-23 in the first game after the holiday vacation. The smaller floor may handicap the victory. The JV's with a 53-44 victory over the Mexico Huskies will open the evening's games with a 6-30 spacer.

On next Tuesday evening the Jay High School Tigers will meet Gould in a Husky home game.

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TWO WEEKS LEFT FOR ALIENS TO REPORT ADDRESSES

District Director Herman R. Landon, of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, Boston, reminded all aliens in New England Monday that only two weeks remain in which noncitizens must file their annual address report as required by law.

District Director Landon estimated that 20,000 aliens in New England have already complied with this requirement of the Immigration and Nationality Act of 1952.

The Immigration office said that all aliens, except those in diplomatic status, and foreign representatives assigned to the United States must file such a report in January of each year.

He said aliens under 14 years of age and those for whom a legal guardian has been appointed should comply with the law by having parents or guardians file the address report.

DON'T BE FOOLED BY CAR PRICES?

Shopping for a new car? Prices are hard to figure this year, warn the current issue of "Money Times," the Hingham Mercury. Most cars are "tagged" prices but dealers don't have to use them and many don't. Moreover, these suggested prices may not be the best for you. They can be lowered or increased. If you are a "price pusher" He may be looking for something extra, then giving it back to you as a discount or inflated trade-in allowance. If you suspect a push, be sure you get that balancing reduction one way or another.

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he can usually help. If you don't know how to apply for a government loan, where to go for disaster relief, how to get certain federal information, he can steer you right. Of course, reserve the use of your busy representative for matters that really need his efforts and don't burden him with routine problems.—Changing Times

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Union School Notes—Friday the school was visited by our Superintendant, Mr. H. Arnold. Miss Arnold brought us slips for photo shots which are being offered to all children in school to the age of 16. The following received 100% in spelling for the week: Jackson Andrews, Joyce Hawkins, Donna Poland, Pamela Hagar, Alicia Cash, Sylvia Cox, Bruce Thurlow, Rebecca Andrews, Craig Hyenson, Alan Waterhouse, James Lamb, Primary Grades, Grammar Grades: Nancy Kennison, John Cox, Carol Silver, Jean Hawkins, Elaine Kossela, Kenneth Kennison, Robert Benson, Linda Waterhouse, Patricia Davis, Thomas Davis, Patricia McMillin, Geneva Silver.

Ellis Davis went to Lewiston on Thursday with Leslie Thurlow.

The Willing Workers met with Mrs. Jane Andrews Wednesday evening with the following present: Mrs. Laura Heikkinen, Mrs. Cynthia Lamb, Mrs. Esther Davis, Mrs. Hazel Andrews, Mrs. Alta Waterhouse, Mrs. Hazel Strout, Mrs. Bernice Davis, Mrs. Elaine Pierce, Mrs. Catherine Verrell, Mrs. Gertrude Andrews, Mrs. Olive Davis, Mrs. Eleanor Kossela, and one visitor, Mrs. Nestor Tamminen and the hostess. Election of officers were in the order of business. Mrs. Hazel Strout was chosen as President; Laura Heikkinen as Vice President; William Henderson as Secretary, and Jesse Andrews as Treasurer of the funds. Several ways of earning money for repairs on the church were discussed and other business transacted. The meeting adjourned to partake of delicious refreshments of salads, cake, cookies, and hot drink, with hot rolls as a special surprise for an evening meeting. Hazel Andrews will entertain in February.

This has been a rainy week. Outdoor work is at a standstill for many. Quite mild for January after cold December we have just experienced. The ground is bare which is bad for the grass roots if it should freeze hard again.

Mrs. Arthur Thurlow is gaining slowly in the hospital. Mrs. Maynard Fleming spent Saturday with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayward Lamb entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shaw Jr. for dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Eino Heikkinen were Sunday night visitors, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayward Lamb and family went to Buckfield Friday night. They took supper with Mr.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. K. M. Frost, Corres.

Asher Tuusula underwent surgery Jan. 11 at the Mary Hitchcock Hospital, Hanover, N. H. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown took Mrs. Helen Runnels to Hanover, N. H. Friday as her husband had an ill turn that morning. She stayed with him until Sunday afternoon and he had made good improvement.

Ben Inman of Bethel stayed with his sister, Mrs. Mabel Beckler, over the week end.

Barbara Myhrall of Bowdoinham was a Sunday guest of the Estes Yates.

Holman Bacon Jr. and friend of Norfolk, Va. were week end guests of his parents, the Holman Bacons. Miles T. Brooks of South Paris spent Sunday evening with David Fleet.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates were on the sick list a couple of days last week.

Russell Yates was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Howard of Goose Rock were recent visitors of her sister, Mrs. Phyllis Williams.

Our recent storm cleared most of the snow from this locality.

SCHOOL LUNCH AND MILK PROGRAMS

Both the School Lunch and School Milk programs continued to expand during the first half of this school year. The number of children eating complete lunches is up 10 percent over last year while the number of schools approved for the milk program shows an increase of 43 per cent. Maine has 728 schools approved or pending approval for participation in the milk program. Nearly 13 million half pints of milk are distributed daily to the Nation's school children through these two programs.

and Mrs. Glendon Allen and then joined in a birthday surprise party with the other members of the family for their mother, Mrs. Wendell Allen, in the evening.

Mrs. Miriam Morgan took Mrs. Jennie Perkins of North Paris to Portland. She will go to Florida for a while with her sister-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Marian Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Tamminen and Mary Perham went to Camp Devens to see Mr. and Mrs. James Andrews and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Davis' parents. Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Brown, of Livermore.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. C. James Knights, Cor.

Mrs. George Abbott visited one afternoon last week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Abbott.

Mrs. Sherwood Buck, Mrs. Clinton Buck, and Mrs. Kenneth Buck were at Lewiston one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and daughter, Terri, South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knights and daughter, Valerie Jean, of Bethel, were at their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. James Knights, Sunday.

Several from this community attended the Universalist Church, Sunday to hear Rev. Newell preach his last sermon at Bryant Pond. He is going to Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Poland visited at Fred Whitman's Saturday evening.

Mrs. Daniel Brown of North Woodstock was a caller Saturday forenoon of Mrs. George Abbott.

Mrs. John Hemingway has returned home from the CMG Hospital.

Mrs. Ben Warner Jr. and son were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Mary Knights.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott were recent evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes.

Mrs. Mary Knights and Mrs. C. James Knights and granddaughter attended the AUW meeting at Mrs. Leslie Abbott's Monday afternoon.

Last Service of the week of Prayer was held at Mrs. George Abbott's Saturday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. John entertained all their grandchildren at a reunion on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John E. Pamela Ring, Miss E. and Mrs. Donna daughter, Vickie, of and Mrs. Tolvo Wais Darlene and Billy, of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley, Miss Starr Andrews, Andrews, Mr. and E. Ring and Michael, Melody Ring, Mr. and Walsten, Miss Alice Pendope Day and Day.

The Universalist Church met at the M. evening. Miss Sand Portland, trustee of State Board and Miss in, treasurer of the Board were present, greetings from the Unitarian Liberal Fellowship. Ralph Doughty, Mass., and Alden Washington, were called Thursday by the serial their father, Hollis is at the CMG Hospital turned Friday.

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SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Mr. Abram Lodge, N. Meets Friday evening Shirley Chase. Rec. Secretary Hanscom.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge Meets first and third evenings. N. G. Blanche Rec. Secretary, Hilda. Purity Chapter, No. Meets first Wednesday. W. M. Annie Hastings Helen Runnels.

Pleasant Valley Grange West Bethel. Meets fourth Thursdays. Max Macon, Secretary, Lettie Bethel Chamber of Meets first Tuesdays. Howard Cole, Secretary Hastings.

W. B. C. S. Method Meets third Thursday 7:30 P. M. President, E. on, Secretary, Barbara Fleener Gordon G. second and fourth Wednesdays. President, No. Secretary, Madeleine G. Ladies Club, Cong Church. Meets first Thursday afternoons.

Mrs. Charles E. Merrill, Mrs. R. R. Tibbels. The Guild, Cong Church. Meets second Wednesday evenings. Mrs. Frank Nary, Secretary, Janet Richardson. Men's Brotherhood, Church. Meets first Wednesday. President, Evan Secretary, Donald Christ. Parent Teacher Association third Tuesday evening. Dana Douglas Secretary, Rita Davis.

Five Town Teachers' Club Monday evening. Brian McAllister, Secretary. Mound-Allen Foot. No. 1 in Legion. Meets second Tuesday evenings. Mr. Leslie Kendall, Adjutant.

Mound-Allen Unit, No. 1 in Legion. Meets second Thursday evenings. Mr. Josephine Tripp, 1. Miss Donahue.

Almer River Grange, No. Bethel. Meets first and third evenings. Master, Richard. Secretary, Margaret.

Dear River Grange, No. 1. Meets every day. Master, Paul Wright. Ida Wright.

Bethel Auxiliary of Community Hospital. Meets Monday evenings. President, E. on. Secretary, Janice.

Hemp Club meets Wednesday after school, 1:30. Mrs. O'Brien on President. Donald Christ. Mary, Nancy Lincoln, T. Able Bennett.

Mr. Abram Fish and G. Meets third Thursday P. M. in Leslie's Me. M. Votham welcome. P. Other Valley. Secretary, meetings.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Inman, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ring Sr. entertained all their children and grandchildren at a dinner and reunion on Sunday. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Ring Jr., Miss Pamela Ring, Miss Mariene Ring, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Deane and daughter, Vickie, of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Tolvo Waisanen, Faylene, Darlene and Billy, of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley O. Andrews, Miss Starr Andrews, Miss Donna Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Ring and Michael, Mitchell and Mollie Ring, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waisanen, Miss Alice Young, Miss Penelope Day and Miss Patricia Day.

The Universalist Youth Fellowship met at the Manse Sunday evening. Miss Sandra Haley of Portland, trustee of the Youth State Board and Miss Eleanor Coffin, treasurer of the Youth State Board were present, each bringing greetings from the Universalist-Unitarian Liberal Religious Youth.

Ralph Doughty of Belmont, Mass., and Alden Doughty, Mt. Washington, were called here last Thursday by the serious illness of their father, Hollis Doughty, who is at the CMG Hospital. They returned Friday.

Eleanor B. Forbes Class met Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Beale Mann with Mrs. Jeanette Carlini as hostess. Devotions were in charge of Mrs. Maude Swell, Miss Nina Bradford read from the New Bible, roll call was answered by each reading a Bible verse containing the word "Hope". The lessons were discussed collectively. It was voted to send a donation of \$5.00 in memory of Rev.

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Mt. Abram Lodge, No. 81, L. O. O. F. Meets Friday evenings. N. G. Shirley Chase, Rec. Secretary, Rodney Hanscom.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge, No. 64. Meets first and third Monday evenings. N. G. Blanche Berryment, Rec. Secretary, Hilda Donahue. Purity Chapter, No. 102, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings. W. M. Annie Hastings, Secretary, Helen Runnels.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 126, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, Gordon Mason, Secretary, Lettie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesdays. President, Howard Cole, Secretary, Henry Hastings.

W. S. C. S., Methodist Church. Meets third Thursday evening at 8:30 P. M. President, Sylvia Laxon, Secretary, Barbara Greenleaf.

Fleasant Grange, No. 126, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Norma Buck, Secretary, Madeline Gibbs.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Mrs. Charles E. Merrill, Secretary, Mrs. R. R. Tibbitts.

The Guild, Congregational Church. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mrs. Frank Nary, Secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Hutchins.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings. W. M. Dana Brooks, Secretary, Ernest Munk.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Dr. John Triaward, Secretary, James Hutchins.

Music Appreciation Group. Meets every other Thursday at 8 p. m. Gould Academy Music Room. President, Florence Emery, Secretary, Janet Richardson.

Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets first Wednesday evenings. President, Evans Wilson, Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parent Teacher Association. Meets third Tuesday evenings. President, Dana Douglas, Jr., Secretary, Rita Davis.

Five Town Teachers' Club. Meets first Monday evening. President, Helen McAllister, Secretary, Eva Mitchell.

Mount-Avon Post, No. 81, American Legion. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. President, Josephine Tripp, Secretary, Rita Donahue.

Mount-Avon Unit, No. 81, American Legion Auxiliary. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. President, Josephine Tripp, Secretary, Rita Donahue.

Mount-Avon Grange, No. 144, West Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evenings. Master, Richard Mason, Secretary, Marguerite Bart.

Mount-Avon Grange, No. 144, New-Corner. Meets every other Saturday. Master, Paul Wright, Secretary, Ida Wright.

Bethel Auxiliary of Rutherford Community Hospital. Meets first Sunday evenings. President, Agnes Erickson, Secretary, Janet Richardson.

Young Club meets Wednesday afternoon after school, 3:30, at Mrs. O'Brien's on Paradise St. President, Donald Christie, Secretary, Nancy Linsley, Treasurer, Alice Bennett.

Mt. Abram Fish and Game Association meets third Thursday at 8 P. M. in Lusk's 30th Town. All visitors welcome. President, Arthur Valley, Secretary, Arthur Hastings.

Eleanor B. Forbes towards the rebuilding of a new kitchen at Atwood Hall, St. Lawrence Universalist Theological School, New York, which is in memory of all Universalist Women Ministers. Cards were sent to Mrs. Gladys Littlehale, Mrs. Charlotte Smith, Mrs. Lawrence Decker and Hollis Doughty, all hospital patients. Refreshments were served by Miss Nina Bradford and Miss Florence Ralph.

Bruce Downing and Pamela Olson were honored at a birthday party Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Debra Olson. Games were played and refreshments were served by Mrs. Olson. Guests attending were: Roger and Carmen Hadley, Ricky, Rachel and Randy Chase, Donna Proctor, Christine Graffan, Doris Waterhouse, Kevin and Gary Waterhouse, Myrtle Downing, Bruce Downing and Pamela Olson.

Tommy, son of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Nangle, who was observing his eighth birthday, Friday, was given a birthday supper by his mother. Those present were: Ricky Chase, Michael Shane, Michael Ring, James Packard, David Childs, David Curtis, Tommy Curtis, Joe Lamb, Nestor Roukolainen, Ricky Braden and David Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Ward announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathryn Frances, to Alvin J. Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Daniels, of Welchville. Miss Ward is a graduate of West Paris High School and is employed in the office of C. B. Cummings and Son, Norway. Mr. Daniels graduated from Norway High School and is now stationed at Lincoln Air Force Base, Lincoln, Neb. A June wedding is planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Ellingwood are entertaining three grandchildren, Joan, Rissa and Paula Dexter, of Limington.

Mrs. Mona Cole was called to Hartford, Conn., last week by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Maude Wheeler. She returned home Wednesday.

State Trooper John Marshall has recovered from his recent accident and is doing desk duty at Scarborough Police Barracks, Scarborough.

Mrs. Mary Perham attended the monthly meeting of 4-H leaders at the home of Mrs. Clara Thurston one day last week.

Mrs. Lila Ellingwood and Mrs. Elsie Ellingwood entertained Sunday afternoon at a personal shower for Mrs. Marion Jones of Buckfield. Refreshments featuring a shower cake made by Mrs. Doris Maxin, South Paris, were served.

Guests attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Merton Jones, Mrs. Ina Grover and Christine, Mrs. Evelyn Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hamlin, Carol, Mike, Dana and Nancy, Mrs. Abbie Abbott, Mrs. Elsie Ellingwood, Mrs. Beryl Oja, Joel and Gail, Captain and Mrs. Wayne Ellingwood, Stephen and Nathan, Lavina Chamberlain, Doris Maxin, Leonard Jones, Mary Jones, Muriel Buswell, Elsie Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Ellingwood, Paula Rispah and Joan Dexter. Sending gifts but unable to attend: Lois Ellingwood, Joan Young, Eleanor Austin, Irene Wite, Bellinda Jones, Mabel Dunn, Mary Houllhan, Evelyn Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Andrews are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Geraldine B., to Sidney M. Abbott, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Abbott, Sr., of West Sumner. Miss Andrews is a member.

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ber of the senior class at West Paris High School, Mr. Abbott was graduated from West Paris High School in 1955 and is now employed by Wilner Wood Products Co., Norway. No date has been set for the wedding.

Beta Proctor and Mina Baker of the Girl Scout Troop Committee met recently with Senior Scouts, Sheila Heath and Patricia Day and their leader, Mary Emery, to make plans for fund raising for the Troop. It was decided to have a Valentine Supper Party, Monday night, Feb. 12. Tickets will be sold on a reserved basis and a short entertainment will follow the supper.

Hollis B. Doughty died Monday evening at the CMG Hospital where he had been a patient for two weeks. Born in Greenwood, Maine, January 9, 1881, the son of George and Elizabeth Dwalin Doughty. He married the former Mary A. Merrill, April 28, 1905, and the couple celebrated their golden wedding last year. For many years he was employed as night watchman at local mills. In 1932 he moved to Boston where he served with the Naval Police. He retired in 1943 and retired to his Pioneer Street home. He has been a member of the JOOF Lodge 52 years, a member of Paris Onward Rebekah Lodge 61 years, and a former member of West Paris, Grange. Surviving besides his widow are two sons, Ralph, of Belmont, Mass., and Alden, of Chelmsford, Mass., and five grandsons. Funeral services from the West Paris Universalist Church Thursday afternoon. Entombment in the Wayside Cemetery, West Paris. Rev. Donald Hinkley officiating.

The Brownie Scouts with their leaders, Mrs. Leone Penley and Mrs. Edith Morry, held their monthly meeting at the school cafeteria on Monday afternoon. The meeting was conducted by Jeanette Mann, opening with the flag salute and the Brownie Pledge. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and approved. Officers to serve for the following three months were elected, they are: president, Mary Gurney; vice president, Susan Morry; Secretary, Gilda Tuell; treasurer, Jeanette Mann; Color bearer for American flag, Brenda Farr; Color guard for American flag, Bonnie Ellingwood; Color bearer for Brownie flag, Janet Emery; Color guard for Brownie flag, Linda Braden, Carol Rasmussen, Bonnie Ellingwood, Susan Morry, Cindy Morry and Pamela Olson who recently observed birthdays selected gifts from the pockets of "Presents," a large Birthday Teddy made by Mrs. Penley for the occasion as the members sang "Happy Birthday To You." Mrs. Edith Morry was presented a birthday gift from the group.

Mrs. Erlon Hadley of Falmouth is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Appleby.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ring and family of Portsmouth, N. H., were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verner Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Heath are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter born at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, January 16. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Heath, West Sumner, and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Slattery, West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brett are parents of a son, born at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, Jan. 16. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Brett.

Harold Perham attended a planning meeting of the Oxford County Christian Youth Council Executive Board at the home of Mrs. Fred Brown, Norway, Sunday afternoon.

On Monday evening at Buckfield Harold Perham was re-elected to the post of president of the Small Schools Public Speaking League of Oxford County for the eighth consecutive term. His son, Joseph, speech director of Paris High School, was the main speaker of the evening, another son, Douglas was the representative from West Paris High School.

Mrs. Marguerite Curtis and Gerald Benson were united in marriage Saturday evening at the home of Rev. Allen Verrill who performed.

NEWRY

Sandra Olson of Bethel was a week end guest of Patricia Morton. Mrs. Daisy Morton is visiting her grandson, Francis Vail Jr., and family, at Lynchville.

Hugh Durgin and family have moved to Dixfield. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tripp spent the day Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bean, Sunday River.

Sunday visitors at Mrs. Gertrude Hanscom's were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newell and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover and family.

Robert T. Davis attended a meeting of the Maine Mineral and Gem Assoc. at James Faulkner's, Ridgelyville, Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. Jack Greig of Bethel was a supper guest of John Wight and Richard Enman, Tuesday.

Miss Carrie Wight is visiting friends in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Colby and son, Bobby, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vail, Sunday.

UPTON
Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Corres. — Millard Fraser is on the sick list but is improving.

Mrs. W. L. Brown remains about the same. The doctor is still in attendance.

Cleo Brown of Westbrook was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown, last Saturday.

Mrs. Archie Stevens of Norway, and Mrs. Donald Fraser of Bethel were Sunday guests of their mother, Mrs. Esther Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McPhee of Brunswick were at their camp on Sunday.

The Extension Service meeting was held at Hlawatha Homestead on Thursday, Jan. 12. Care and Repair of Electric Appliances and other home equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Judkins spent Thursday evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Judkins.

On Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Goodrum were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Judkins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Judkins, Mrs. Elizabeth Richards, Richard Enman and Autry Goodrum in a social evening Saturday, Jan. 14.

Roland Bernier took 3 1/2 tons of turnips for C. A. Judkins to Gray Tuesday this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Garry and son, David, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lombard.

ed a single service. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Appleby. They will reside in West Paris. Mr. Benson is employed by his brother, Maurice Benson.

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Lillian L. Brown, Corres. — Robert Gann and friend from Long Island, N. Y., spent the week end at his place here.

Donald and Robert Rugg were at Ernest Brown's Wednesday afternoon some sleds he had bought.

James Lelpold of Bridgton visited at Ernest Brown's, Thursday. Hayward Lord had dinner with the Brown's Friday.

Myra Flint is at Allen's nursing home, North Waterford. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown called on Mrs. Larry O'Leary Friday afternoon at Waterford and at Don Brown's in Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown had supper with his parents, Wednesday. Herbert Drew from Kennebunkport spent the week end at his trailer here on the hill.

Alton White has been doing some work for Dwight Grover. Among the recent callers at Ernest Brown's were Mr. and Mrs. La-

mont Brown, Arthur and Arian Holt, Mr. and Mrs. David Erickson, Robert Gann and friend, Willis Learned, Roy White, Mrs. Ella Fullerton, Henry Sanderson, and a friend who was visiting at the Sanderson home from Massachusetts, Walter Lord, George Gilbert, Eleanor Moxcey, Francis Moxcey and Berkeley Henley.

Elmer Cordwell who recently lost his home by fire is living at Grace Stone's cottage.

At sundown, the fading light distorts perspective, making it difficult for drivers to spot shadows hazards and to estimate safe stopping distance. Don't attempt to drive at the same speed you travel during daylight hours—darkness is a condition that demands extra caution. Our Governor's Committee on Highway Safety tells us that night driving calls for reduced speed and greater alertness.

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Swanson's Chicken Pies	2 for 49c
Swanson's Turkey Pies	2 for 49c
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Cal. Sunkist Oranges, 220 size	Doz. 49c
Hubbard Squash	3c lb.
Premium Saltines	27c lb.—2 lbs. for 49c
Vanilla Wafers	25c
Lorna Doone Shortbread	cello.pkg. 35c

FROM OUR FILES

18 YEARS AGO
Bryant's Market adopted self-service. It had been affiliated with the Independent Grocers Alliance since 1938.

The "George" property on Paradise Road was offered to bids by the Selectmen.

Yang Yen-Chia of Chungking, China, arrived to spend several months studying saw mill and logging operations at P. H. Chadbourne & Co.

Deaths: Mrs. Roy Fisher, George H. Young.

55 YEARS AGO
It was decided High Street could be used for riding. Shop signs were to be erected on Brighton Ave. and Elm Street.

Work on the new road at South Bethel was finished for the season.

There were 368 men in the Oxford County Farm Bureau.

Deaths: Jessie O'Brien.

56 YEARS AGO

There were 23 houses in Bethel Village that were unoccupied. Some of these were closed while their owners were in a warm climate for the winter.

The brick smoke stack at the Julius P. Skilling's mill fell to the ground. It had served three mills. It was 12 feet square at the base and 10 feet tall.

F. P. Flint purchased the L. A. Hall house on Broad Street.

Deaths: Elbridge Everett.

60 YEARS AGO

The chair factory was being sheathed inside and double windows put on the outside.

There was no snow on Jan. 15. No logging except yarding was being done. "Old timers" admitted they never saw anything like it.

COLD RETURNS TO END JANUARY THAW

A 10 day period of sunless days including six or more of rain ended Tuesday night. The colder weather, although well above zero, is welcomed by all. The ice jams in the Androscoggin River, which threatened much damage last week, are still in evidence but presumably are well cleared beneath. The winds of last week ripped off a large section of metal roofing at the Greenleaf funeral home, but little other damage was reported.

One of the basic rules for safe winter driving is to pump your brakes. Our Governor's Committee on Traffic Safety says that on snow and ice, the best technique for stopping, and with fair control of car's vehicle, is a fast up-and-down pumping of brakes. Jamming brakes, on the other hand, may lock the wheels and throw the car into a dangerous skid. Tire chains cut stopping distances about in half.

BORN

In Rumford, Jan. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Keadam of Bethel, a daughter.

In Portland, Calif., to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bowles (Joan Whitman) of Bryant Pond, a son.

In Lewiston, Jan. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritt of West Paris, a son.

In Lewiston, Jan. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Heath of West Paris, a daughter.

MARRIED

In West Paris, Jan. 14, by Rev. Allen Verrill, Gerald Benson and Mrs. Marguerite Curtis.

DIED

In Bethel, Jan. 18, James K. Haines, aged 85 years.

In Lewiston, Jan. 18, Hollis B. Deaghty, of West Paris, aged 75 years.

STAFF

CUB SCOUTS

Den 1 met with the Den Mother, Mrs. Davis. They saluted the flag, and tied the lasso and square knots. They also learned how to shorten a piece of rope. Eight were present.

Den No. 2 Cub Scouts, meeting held at our Den Mother's home and we worked on our exhibit for the Pack Meeting. All members present except one and we had a visitor, Delmar McMullin—Hugbie Chapman, Asst. Denner.

Den No. 6—We had apples for refreshments and played games. We made Pirate flags this week and met at Mrs. Robertson's. Six boys were present—Your Denner, Larry Smith.

Den 3 met Wednesday. We had Scout's Promise and flag salute. We talked about pirates and our Den Mother read from Treasure Island. We had a treasure hunt. We made Pirates' lanterns. — Dale Kimball, Keeper of the Buckskin.

Cub Scouts, Den 5, met at their mother's home. Meeting opened with the flag ceremony and Cub Scout pledge. We read pirate stories and had a treasure hunt. The meeting closed with the living circle.—Bruce Taylor, keeper of the Buckskin.

MY PET PEEVE
by Mike Bennett

BEING the more or less natural born lazy type, I follow with interest the increasing number of dissertations dealing with we Americans and our leisure time.

For the first time in history, I read, the average worker in America has more leisure time than working time. Elsewhere I note that we can expect more and more leisure time as this atomic age progresses.

Since I apparently have never been able to find all the time I would require to stretch out in a shaded hammock, cooling drink in hand, and dwell upon the wonders of the clouds, the sky and the birds that soar unfettered and unburied, I can but wonder if I shall dwell long enough upon this old earth to live like a lazy man really should.

Already there are forces at work, under the leadership of an enlightened few, which have sinister designs on any new leisure time we may acquire. They issue the frightful warning that "too much leisure time can end in mass degeneration." They aren't worried about the guy who chases along after a golf ball, the putterer who plants roses and tomatoes in the backyard or he who spends the weekend chasing butterflies. These people get excited. They worry about those who would use their do-nothing time just doing nothing.

Needless alarm, I say. No need for concern until the sky is no longer high and blue, till streams run dry and birds don't fly, till you can't find a fish or a fishing pole, and all the wonders of Mother Nature disappear into eternal darkness.

You won't kill a lazy man with leisure time any more than you can drown a fish in a bathtub.

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News of 4-H CLUBS

Jan. 13, Friday. The Nimble Thimble 4-H Club was called to order by our president. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted. We decided to cook at our next meeting. We also decided to invite Mrs. Knight to head leader up to a supper on Feb. 2. After the meeting was adjourned we all worked on our demonstrations. Soon refreshments were served by Barbara Angeline and Betty Chapman which consisted of a large cake, brownies and punch.

The Maple Leaf 4-H Club met Saturday at the home of Mrs. Freda Korhonen. The girls practiced the demonstrations they will do at Bethel, Jan. 25. Refreshments were served by Mary and Margaret Burris and Sheila Ogbert.

Nine Busy Bees—The president called the meeting to order. Eight were at the meeting. We sang Janie's Ladder. We named what should be in a sewing box. Donna Rice and Nikki McMullin made a demonstration on how to make salads. We talked about demonstrations.—Reporter, Darlene Merrill.

The meeting of the Zippy Snappers was called to order by Beth Ann Brown. We had three junior leaders and their leader from the Lucky Thirteen Club to show us their demonstrations. Before our business meeting we enjoyed refreshments brought by Elizabeth Waldron, and played a game. At the demonstration tournament next Wednesday night we are giving double demonstrations as follows: polishing shoes, Elizabeth Waldron and Claudia DeMonte; pin cushion, Cheryl Douglass and Diana Bennett; needle holder, Nancy Saunders and Beth Ann Brown; kerchief, Nancy Cole and Sharon York. We gave a trial demonstration of our own.—Reporter, Claudia DeMonte.

COMING EVENTS

Sat., Jan. 21, Bethel Hospital Auxiliary food and rummage sale.

Sat., Jan. 23, WBCS food sale.

Wed., Feb. 22, Annual Silver Tea, Bethel Hospital Auxiliary.



Brownie Troop 3 met Tuesday at the home of Virginia Keniston. We made yarn lapel dolls. Pamela Huestis joined us at our meeting. Rhonda Brown is on the refreshment committee next meeting.

Girl Scout Patrol 1 met Wednesday, Jan. 11, after school instead of Tuesday this week. We had our business meeting with all 10 girls present. We practiced the five songs we are trying to learn. Sue brought a cake and Mrs. Douglas made us a Baked Alaska because it was Nancy Brown's birthday. Jackie brought Zaxen to go with it. Next week Darlene and Deedee will bring refreshments.

Busy Beaver Patrol No. 5, Jan. 17—Claudia DeMonte, our new member was present and we gave her a Girl Scout Welcome. We had our Promise and the Laws were read. Secretary's report was read and treasurer's report also. We gave Claudia her yearly stars and her 2nd Class Rank and her crest. Susan Boynton and Carol Keoske got their Housekeeping badges. Susan got her Boating badge. Julia Brown worked with the girls on their Good Grooming badge. She

taught proper skin cleansing and protection, we also discussed with Faith about diet and complexion. Refreshments were served by Carol Keoske.—Carol Keoske, Secretary. Patrol 1, Girl Scouts, met Tuesday Jan. 17 after school at Mrs. Douglas'. We are learning a song to open our meetings with. We earned \$2.00 selling Girl Scout calendars. We practiced our sewing, sewing up rips and darned socks. We practiced our songs and closed our meeting by singing "Taps" while Deedee played it on her trumpet. Deedee and Darlene served us cookies and hot cocoa. Norma and Margaret will bring them next week.—Norma Kimball, reporter.

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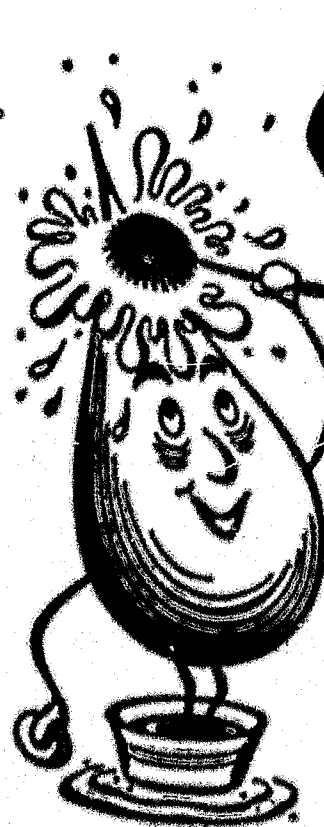
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